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DIFFERENCES OF OPINION

BEHIND clouds of words about undying friendship and solidarity, indications can be detected of a spirited debate between the leaders of the Soviet and Chinese Communist parties. Differences of opinion have been apparent for some considerable time and while it is unthinkable that, at least for the present, there will be an outright split, the courses of both countries are not parallel.

The Kremlin chose no lesser personage than the Foreign Minister, Mr Gromyko, to present its case in Pravda and despite the usual wordage about great friendship, the article at times appears to have a turbulent tone.

THE impression is gained that the Chinese Communists have been fueling up Mr Khrushchev's plan for finding a way of living with the Western democracies while Communism waits confidently, though somewhat impatiently, for capitalism to collapse under the pressure of Moscow's sustained political and economic offensives.

The Communist Chinese leaders, much more in need of external tensions now than their Soviet counterparts, appear far less than enthusiastic about Mr Khrushchev's peace tactics. Nor do they appear to be too happy about the Soviet leader's venture into India and Southeast Asia.

Mr Gromyko reminded the Chinese about all the Russians had done for them in the establishment of new industries in China, in the work of the Soviet specialists there, in the steady stream of Russian equipment to China and "all forms of friendly collaboration."

THE Foreign Minister reminded the Chinese that under the 1950 agreement, both big Communist states expressed readiness to cooperate sincerely in all international activities aimed at the establishment of peace and security in the whole world.

The Soviet Union maintains it is guided by the "five principles" first proclaimed by Mr Mao Tse-tung but Peking has already kicked them overboard.

The Chinese have invaded territory occupied for years by India and blatantly interfered in the Indonesian Government's campaign against the Chinese traders.

IN defending the Kremlin's own policies the necessity to remind Peking that the Soviet Union is playing an outstanding role in elaborating Lenin's policy of peaceful co-existence of states with different systems. It is apparent that the Chinese are well out of line in current thinking.

Mr Khrushchev's visit to the United States was frowned upon by China, but the need to justify the trip as a "mighty investment in the cause of lessening international tensions and defense of world peace" is a long way from Stalin's ideas of world domination and therefore unacceptable to Peking. On the whole these attempts to placate the Chinese Communists appear to be a series of lectures of advice from father to a wayward child. Father knows best and the great advantages of Soviet policy will be reaped in the long run.

Deaths feared, many hurt in huge blaze

Many people were injured and some feared burnt to death in a raging fire which devastated the Taikotsui area this morning.

At least 10 people have been taken to Kowloon City Hospital with severe burns and police think that some perished when the fire swept through the area in less than a minute.

At 1 p.m. every available fireman in the Kowloon District, together with two fire-boats and 14 fire engines were battling the blaze.

Dozens of people plunged into the water and waded to nearby Tong Mi Road, to safety.

The fire broke out shortly after 10:45 a.m. in a wood pile near the harbour's edge in the typhoon shelter area.

In a matter of seconds a massive sheet of flame cut across through several small factories and spread to dozens of junks and sampans which were tied up near the scene of the outbreak.

Scores of panic-stricken parents of children clasped

under their arms or tied to their backs, swam into nearby Tong Mi Road, to safety.

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Shortly after the arrival of the fire-brigade, a Chinese fireman plunged fully clothed into the water off a burning pier to save a small boy who was struggling in about four feet of water. He lifted the boy onto a waiting sampan which took him to the shore. The boy was treated by an ambulance man.

Many of the occupants of the small factories and squatting huts were burnt in their escape from the fire. So far, police say that several families have reported friends or relatives missing; however it is not yet known definitely whether they perished in the fire.

Inferno

In less than 20 minutes after the outbreak, the inferno had completely gutted an area of 200 square feet and at one stage the flames threatened to spread to the built-up area near the intersection of Tong Mi and Mongkok Roads.

Additional firemen arrived on the scene and by about 12:30 p.m. the main danger had past. However, several areas were still burning fiercely.

Fire Brigade officials report that so far the cause of the fire and estimated damage is not known.

Latest reports say that 40 small buildings have been destroyed or damaged.

Workshops in this area include foundries, godowns, timber yards and rubber and metal stores.

This is the same area that was destroyed by fire last October.

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Miss Andland said that Stanciu burst into her room brandishing a pistol and told her to undress. She charged that he criminally attacked her and then shot himself. He was found by police lying naked on Miss Andland's bed.

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There are many small buildings densely packed into the area and it will be hours before the Fire Brigade are able to assess the full extent of the damage and casualties.

A detective who had accompanied the children and their governess on the outing, dashed back to the theatre, searched the seats and came up with the bullet.—China Mail Special.

Three boys admit killing zoo birds

Manchester, Apr. 10. Three boys aged 12, 13 and 14 were accused in juvenile court here today of killing 39 birds at Manchester Zoo.

The boys, who appeared in court with their fathers, were remanded in custody until Wednesday.

Police told the court that the boys, who live within 20 yards of the zoo, admitted killing the birds, which were valued at £2,000 and included cranes, swans, pigeons, ducks, penguins and pelicans.

Attempts are being made by zoo officials to replace the birds in time for the Easter holiday.—China Mail Special.

Mr. Shaw said if the Japanese film industry "wishes to continue to enjoy the advantages it is receiving in Hongkong, then the Hongkong film industry must at least be allowed a little indulgence in Japan."

On the other hand, Mr. Shaw continued, the film made by the Hongkong studios, "The King and the Beauty," had not yet received a showing in Japan.

In fact, not one film made in Hongkong had yet been shown in Japan, whereas Mr. Shaw's organization was responsible for 50 per cent of all movies shown by Japanese film studios.

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Bomb essay shocks 10-year-olds

Burnley, Apr. 10. A school official today promised an investigation of charges that an H-bomb essay assignment terrified 10-year-old girls in a school class. Mr John Vernon, 30, told the 40 children in his class, most of them 10-year-olds, about an early warning radar station to be built in the north of England. He said it would detect any approaching missile and give Britain four minutes warning of "an explosion." Then he asked them to write an essay on "my last four minutes." Local newspapers reported that the essay assignment made

some of the children almost hysterical. The London Sunday Dispatch repeated these allegations today. It said some of the girls cried in class, another wrote that she would stab herself to death rather than wait for the missile, another asked her mother willy nilly, "has an H-bomb fallen there this morning?" and was so upset she still refuses to go upstairs in the dark.

Mr Vernon, a member of St Stephen's Church which runs the school, denied that the children were upset by the assignment. "No child cried in class and there were no signs that any-

one was upset," he said. "If anyone was frightened, I am surprised that the parents have said nothing to the proper authorities."

Mr Vernon said he asked the children to write the essays "about two months ago" and said he chose the topic because "I wanted to find out what they would write about it."

But the Rev. Alan F. Clark, rural Dean of Burnley and Chairman of the governors of St Stephen's School, said he would "look into the matter" and see whether the children actually were disturbed by the essay question, and whether it should have been assigned.—UPI.

PRIEST ON TREASON CHARGE

Kingston, Apr. 10. Jamaican police have arrested the Rev. Claudius Henry, founder of the African Reformed Church here, and charged him under the treason law. A number of his followers have also been arrested.

The arrests followed two big raids by police and security men in which machine sharpened on both sides like swords, shotguns, dynamite, detonators, revolvers and other small arms were found.

Letters between the Rev. Henry and Dr Fidel Castro, the Cuban Prime Minister, were also found, police said.

BACK TO AFRICA

The Rev. Henry, 57, set up his African Reformed Church about two years ago. He seeks to enable Jamaicans to return to Africa, but a "Back-to-Africa" trek which he organised late last year ended in failure.

A number of his followers were arrested in a recent raid on the headquarters of the Church. Police said the headquarters was kept "like a trained army camp," with men in uniforms and given ranks.

The treason charge is said to be the first in Jamaica since 1865. In peacetime, the maximum penalty is life imprisonment.

The Rev. Henry and his followers are also charged with breaches of the gunpowder law.—Reuters.

Ghost complaint

Cairo, Apr. 10. Abdel Rahman el-Badry has filed a formal complaint against the ghost of a woman he claims is haunting his apartment building.

"It's the ghost of a woman burned alive and I want protection from the authorities," he said. His tenants added they would move out unless the strange noises heard at night stopped.

The Cairo parquet (investigation office) has opened an inquiry.—UPI.

Giant U.S. bed for De Gaulle

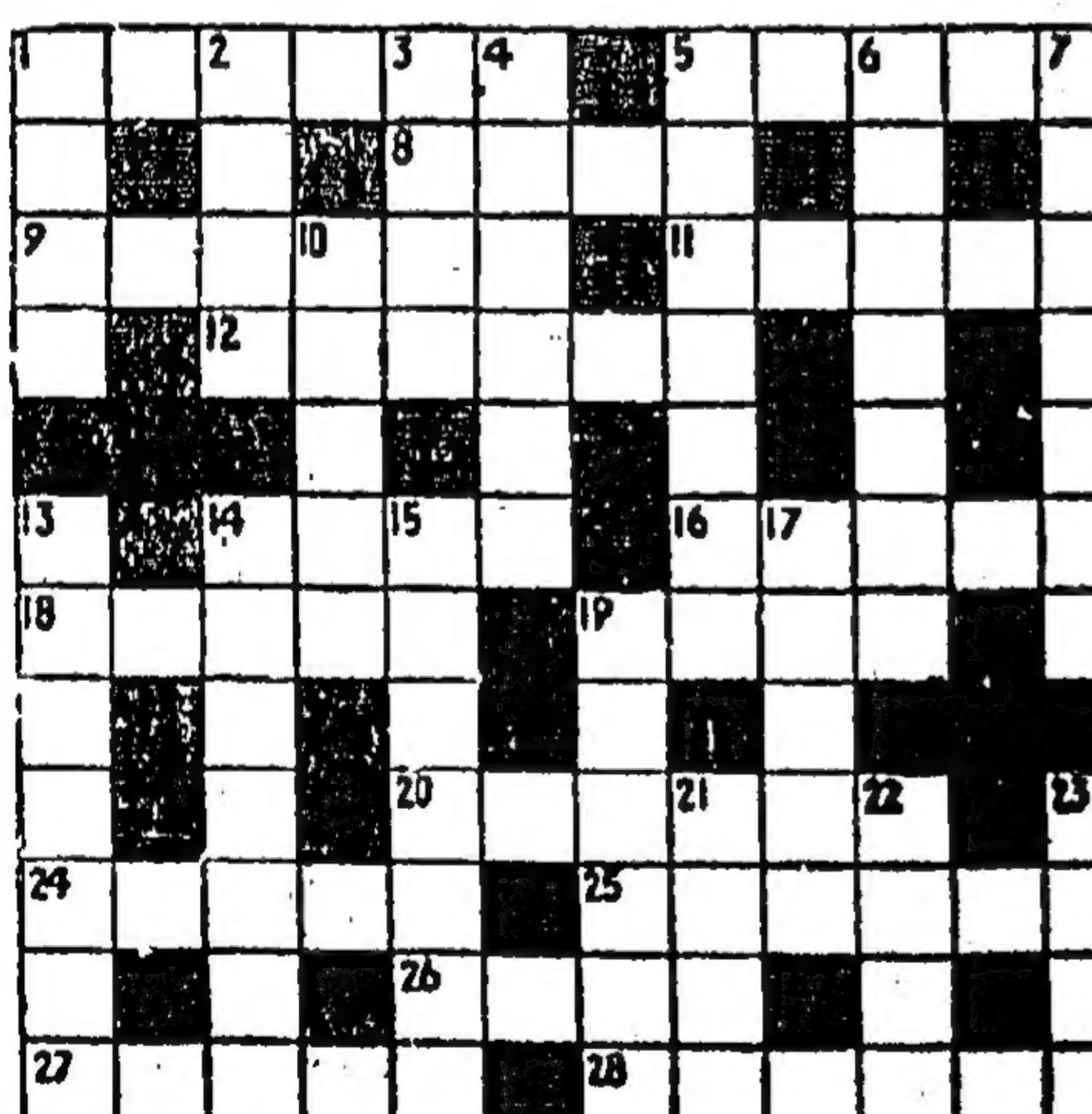
Washington, Apr. 10. The United States is preparing a giant bed for 6-foot-4-inch President Charles de Gaulle of France to sleep on when he visits Washington later this month.

The present beds at the Blair House, where De Gaulle and his wife will stay, are standard size—6 feet 2 inches long.

Two new mattresses and box springs have been made for the twin beds, which have extension frames that can be pulled out. The new bed size will be 6 feet 8 inches.

When De Gaulle last visited Washington, in 1946, he had to sleep on a standard 6-foot-2 bed. "Times change," said an American who helped arrange De Gaulle's forthcoming tour. "It's much more important now."—AP.

A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- An afront (6).
- Do suffering from it find themselves in for a swell time? (5).
- I.F.S. at one time (4).
- Oriental obelance (8).
- Gun-girl in play? (5).
- Too many this S. African city is not rural (6).
- Continental currency (4).
- The pupil that makes the team short (5).
- Speak of nothing more than speed (6).
- Examination description (4).
- Like a declared hypocrite? (6).
- Bored and compare? (5).
- Turn inside out (6).
- I've left "1" for a different girl (4).
- It's all up with him (6).
- Does he pay for part of a chest by cheque? (6).

DOWN

- Current month (4).
- Disposed of for nothing (5).
- State monarch (4).
- Sound quality timber? (6).
- Wander about (7).
- Of mixed breeding (7).
- Her best drink? Could be (7).
- Look at the books (5).
- It's always gno by noon (7).
- Illuminating device (7).
- Is this soldier always orderly? (7).
- Turn it to reverse (4).
- Was attractive (4).
- River rising in France (4).

SATURDAY'S CROSSWORD—Across: 1. Clinch, 4. Monday, 6. Afield, 10. Arrow, 12. Forest, 14. Prepare, 17. Past, 19. Adverb, 21. Dialect, 22. Also, 23. Gilding, 24. Melons, 26. Blame, 29. Rival, 31. Drink, 32. Entry, 34. Clever, 2. Number, 8. Hafiz, 5. Omar, 9. Liefest, 7. Minutes, 9. Dorante, 11. Repairs, 13. Red deer, 15. Hall, 16. Polon, 18. Bean, 20. Damped, 21. Small (land), 24. A-side, 26. Insp., 28. Gusty, 29. Leaf. Down: 1. Current month (4).

WOMEN BECOME PRIESTS

Stockholm, Apr. 10. For the first time in Sweden, three women were today ordained Protestant ministers.

The Swedish Parliament had authorised women to become ministers two years ago, but the Swedish Assembly of Reformed Churches only accepted the innovation after some hot debates and threats of secession.

There had been some demonstrations against the admission of women to the ministry during the past 24 hours, especially in the university city of Lund. There some theology students held "mourning ceremonies" last night.—UPI.

Wrens' 21st anniversary

London, Apr. 10. The Women's Royal Naval Service will celebrate its 21st birthday tomorrow.

The Wrens, founded in 1939, was given a permanent place in the Royal Navy in 1940.

At present there are 3,250 officers and ratings in the Wrens.

They perform secretarial, domes-

tic and technical duties in Bri-

tain, Malta, Gibraltar and Oslo.—China Mail Special.

Chang asked the convention to condemn the Chinese Com-

munists only, and not China, for the suppression in Tibet.

"Chinese Communists are not

even our countrymen because

they have foreign blood in their

brains and are only viciously

organised fanatics serving foreign

masters and ideologies," he

declared.

The convention on Tibet to-

day decided to take measures to

have the Tibetan issue raised

in the U.N. Human Rights Com-

mission.

A special committee said there

is "definite proof of genocide in

Tibet in all its varieties and

forms" and declared "religious

freedom is being violated there

in the most barbaric form."

The committee asserted:

"Sacred statues are being used

as chalks and tables after their

heads are chopped off and pages

from holy scriptures are used

as toilet paper."

"There is a definite design to

exterminate the Tibetan person-

ality and individuality."

AGGRESSION

Meanwhile, a political committee meeting under the chairmanship of Indonesian Dr Mohammed Roem said Tibet always had sovereign status and China committed aggression by invading Tibet.

The committee decided to set up a permanent organisation to keep close touch with happenings inside Tibet from available sources and collect statistics on the fate of valuable art treasures there.

Japanese delegate Dr Tokumasa Matsumoto presided over the Tibetan human rights special committee while Kenya's Jathua Mbaya Oyango was chairman of the anti-colonial committee.

Chinese Turkistan delegates today pleaded for self-determination of "our country which has been one of the earliest victims of Chinese imperialism."

Some Vietnamese delegate Vu Giao Phu wanted the issue of North Vietnam also to be brought under the purview of the conference.

"Like Hungarians and Tibetans we Vietnamese also are stung by the lust of international Communism for conquest," he said.—AP.

Leopard mystery solved

Moscow, Apr. 10. A leopard who had escaped from a zoo in Belorussia last summer has been killed in the forests along the Estonian-Latvian border about 300 miles away.

The news of the kill first mystified the inhabitants of northern Latvia, where leopards were unknown.

The mystery was soon cleared up, however, when it was learned that the leopard named "Dun-can" had escaped last summer from the zoo of Grodno in western Belorussia.

An expedition had been sent out to recapture the beast but he eluded it and set out on his long wanderings through the thick forests of White Russia, Lithuania, and Latvia.—UPI.



2,000 U.S. prisoners adopt 3 children

Vacaville, Apr. 10. More than 2,000 prison hospital inmates in California have become foster fathers of a nine-year-old girl in Korea and a seven-year-old boy and a 10-year-old girl in Italy.

The funds provided by the Vacaville prisoners will supply monthly cash grants, food and clothing and all necessary medical care for the three children.

ACCIDENT

Santolo Raffele, 7, lost his father in an accident at Rosina, Italy, last January.

Santolo's mother earns about \$10 a month doing laundry and housework, she also receives a \$24.40 monthly pension to help support Santolo and an older sister.

Rosie Burrone, 10, lives in Trina, Southern Italy, where her father died in November, 1958, after a costly five-year illness.

Rosie's mother earns from 60 to 90 cents a day running a soft drink and candy stand. This is the family's only income.

Sang Shin, 9, is in an orphanage in Korea. Her father was killed by Korean Communists in June, 1959, and her mother disappeared.—AP.

BMA tips to 'getting marrieds'

London, Apr. 10. The British Medical Association spoke frankly again today about "Getting Married."

Last year a booklet of that title, packed with tips for young couples, was withdrawn from sale because of its outspoken articles on sex and love. A new edition goes on sale today.

Among the British Medical Association's new tips for people in love were:

• Pre-marital relations do not necessarily ruin a marriage, but true love is "worth waiting for."

• Those who think that if you are suited in bed you are suited for life have simply got things wrong."

• Newly-married couple should live with their in-laws.

• Both the man and woman have a duty to reach physical satisfaction together.

Dr Harvey Fleck, editor of the official British Medical Association magazine which sponsors the booklet, said he did not believe this year's "Getting Married" would stir up the same criticism as last year.

"I have every hope that this year there will be no adverse criticism of that kind," he said.—UPI.

Two other occupants of the car, a teenage boy and girl, escaped from the sunken car, swam to shore and hiked a mile to a farmhouse but the farmer had no phone and had to drive two miles to Polk City for aid.

Police said the car apparently missed a detour sign in the darkness and got halfway across the steel and concrete bridge when it suddenly collapsed.—UPI.

U.S. airlines offer emergency plan

Washington, Apr. 10. Four major airlines said today they had offered the Defense Department a plan for an expanded civilian airlift to help fight "bush fire" wars and meet other national emergencies.

They said the agreement was submitted to Defense Secretary Thomas S. Gates Jr. after the Department told congressional committees it needed an improved system for transporting military cargo in civilian planes.

The airlines, Pan American, Trans World, Northwest and Seaboard Western, said the agreement conformed to a Department programme, approved by President Eisenhower, for a stepped-up national airlift.

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They also said their rates would be comparable to the cost of operating the present Military Air Transport Service and would be reduced as traffic increased.

The plan would include both military cargo and passenger planes and could be put into effect immediately, they said. It would require approval of the Department and the Civil Aeronautics Board.

They said the contract would provide a continuous reserve airlift which would enable the Defense Secretary to meet limited war needs or other emergencies.—UPI.

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For the first time Britain has granted political asylum to a Chinese refugee. He is 46-year-old Kuo Te-chiou, former head chef with the Peking Embassy in London, who slipped out one morning a month ago and hid with friends while his application for asylum was being considered by the Home Office. Kuo's decision to escape was sparked by the news he was shortly to be sent home and knew that his criticism of the Peking regime would land him in a labour camp. Kuo, seen above, leaves a wife and two children in Peking.—Express Photo.

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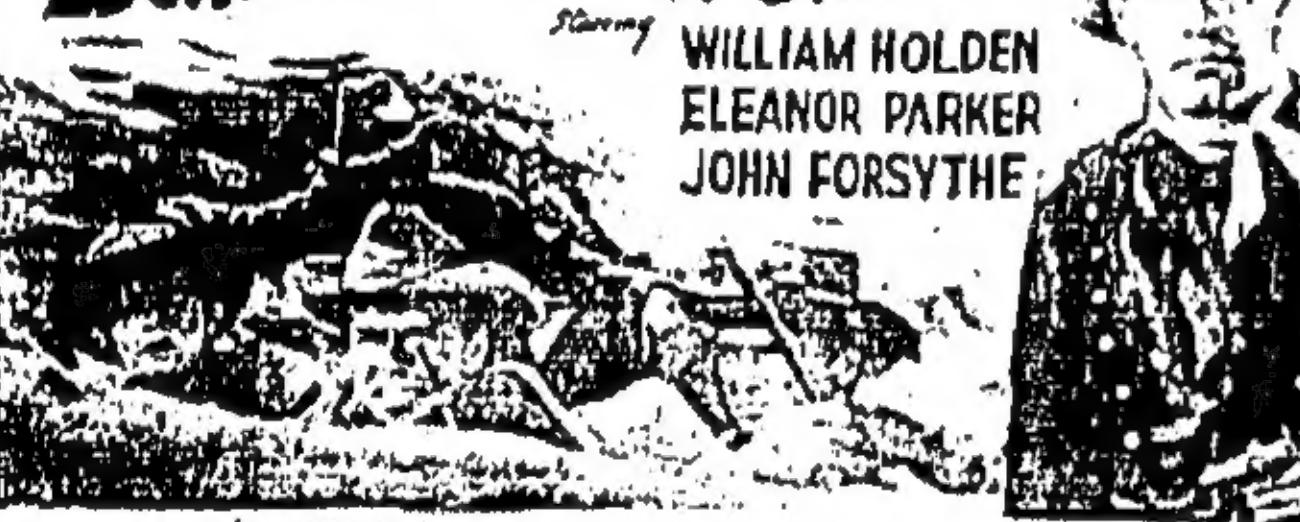
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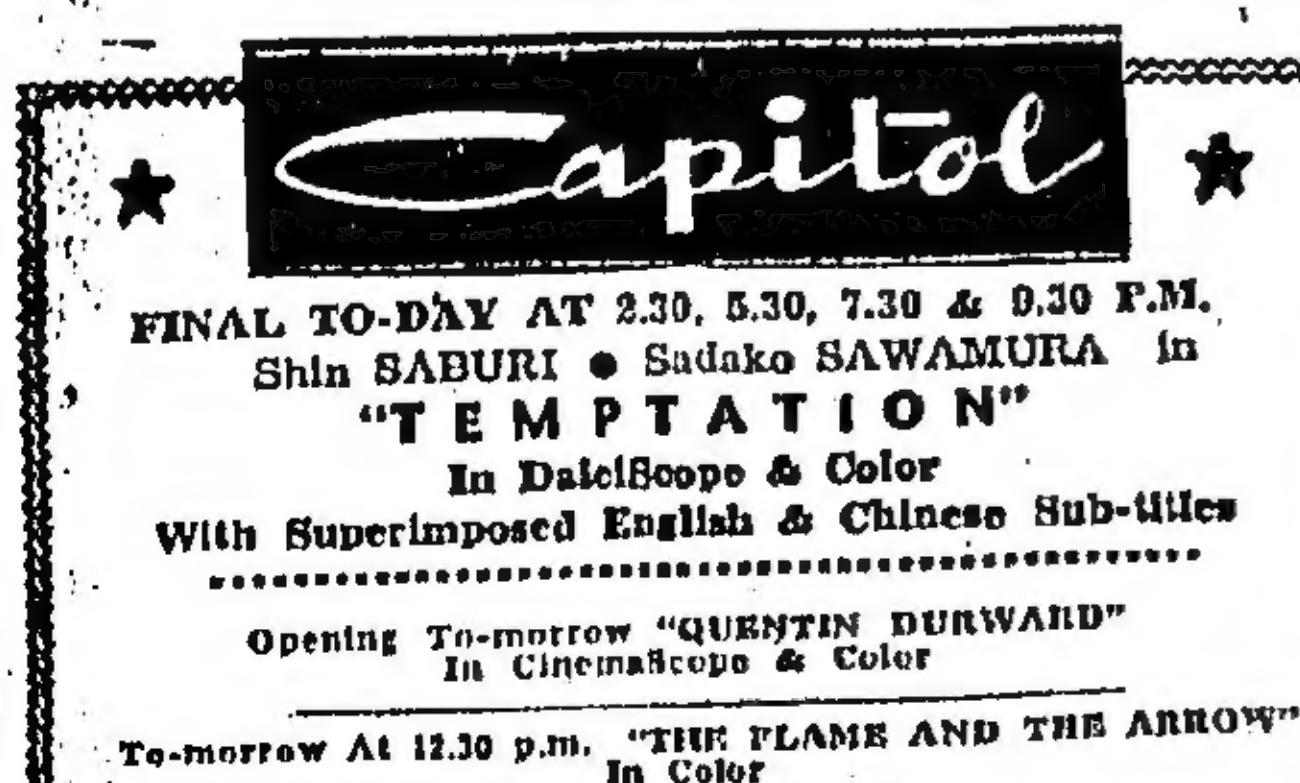
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To-morrow At 12.30 p.m. "THE PLANE AND THE ARROW"
In ColorBritish missile project
on the rocks

London, Apr. 10. Reports that the "Blue Streak," Britain's long-range nuclear ballistic missile, might be cancelled soon as a military project gained ground today following a statement from the Ministry of Defence.

Asked to comment on the reports, a Ministry spokesman referred to a defence debate in the House of Commons at the end of February.

He went on, "Then the Minister (Mr. Harold Watkinson) said that in view of the immense technological changes taking place the Government was now engaged in a detailed review of the defence effort."

Continuing

Blue Streak was "one of the subjects that will probably intrude into the review."

In the defence White Paper in February, setting out policy for the coming years, the Government said, "The development of the British ballistic missile Blue Streak is continuing."

Criticism has been levelled at the 2,000-mile range missile because it could be fired only from fixed bases and uses liquid instead of solid fuel.

Although its first test firing is due to take place at the Woomera rocket range in Australia later this year, Blue Streak is thought unlikely to be fully operational until the mid-sixties.—China Mail Special.

West Indian
regimental
commander

Kingston, Apr. 10. A West Indian has for the first time taken command of a West Indian Regiment. He is Lieutenant-Colonel David Smith, 39.

Bahama-born, Colonel Smith served in Italy during the war and was formerly ADC to Sir Hugh Foot, now Governor of Cyprus. He succeeds Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Davies of the Royal Berkshire Regiment.—China Mail Special.

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THE PICTURE IN THE MAN'S WALLET WAS OF HIS YACHT... NOT HIS WIFE

London. IT'S not often I encounter a man who's made a small fortune from cardboard milk bottles. In fact I might as well admit that Victor Farris from America is the only man I've encountered who's made any money at all from cardboard milk bottles.

He invented the things.

The idea (a simple one, like all good and lucrative ideas) came to him back in the 'thirties.

"The obvious advantages," said Mr. Farris, "were lightness, cheapness, and disposability. I took out a patent and the bottles were put into production."

"The idea caught on. I had to fight a lot of infringements of the patent which expired five years ago. By that time I'd made quite a bit. They sell about 5,000,000 of these every day in the States."

HER DUTIES

Mr. Farris has other, weightier claims to distinction.

Starting his career as a mechanical engineer and inventor, he now has about 200 inventions and patents to his credit, including disc brakes.

He is the multi-millionaire owner of 23 companies which range from engineering to publishing. One of his companies is the largest manufacturer of safety valves in America. He is also married to Celia Lipton, daughter of bandleader Sydney, who gave up a promising career as singer for him.

I met them in a West End hotel suite of contemporary style which must have been created by a colour-blind designer.

HIS GIFTS

Mrs. Farris said: "I've never had a moment's regret since I gave up my career four years ago when I got married. I'm devoted to my old man and fascinated by his career."

"He's always dreaming up something new. Gets up in the middle of the night to sketch it. I'm proud of him. I think he's a genius. Mind you we have our rows. Then I scream that I'm walking out and going back to show business."

"But I never get further than the door with my suitcases."

Neither of them said so, but it may be that he has invented a gadget which trips her up when she gets to the door.

Mrs. Farris went on: "Of course he spoils me."

"Look at these. That's a Cadillac in value. And that's a Rolls-Royce."

She was displaying a diamond-and-ruby brooch (Cadillac) and a diamond-and-ruby bracelet (Rolls-Royce).

"Put them away. Hide them," said Mr. Farris. "Valuable possessions just worry you."

He then produced a photograph of his own most-prized possession—an impressive diesel-engined sea-going yacht.

"I'm the kind of guy who carries a picture of his yacht in his wallet, not his wife. But, then, I had the yacht first. She's a beauty. Got every gadget you can think of. A few are my own inventions."

While he has been here, Mr. Farris has been negotiating a British invention which he plans to promote in America. It is an incinerator which can burn anything, including rubber, without smoke or smell.

"It could be very useful for disposing of troublesome relatives. Or wives," he said.

"Or husbands," said Mrs. Farris.

They laughed and exchanged looks of affection. Burning affection.

I don't presume to be an expert on the subject, but obviously they have the right recipe for happy, lasting matrimony. A mixture of mutual respect and loving sentiment with a healthy addition of banting humour that prevents the sentiment becoming stodgy.

Plus, of course, the diamond-encrusted brand won by the husband—not the wife.

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Incidentally, Mr. Neiman, who comes from Chicago, by no means a prim, law-abiding city, says he has been staggered by

what he has seen of London's less moral activities.

I fear he might have fainted dead away if he had come here in pre-Wolfenden days.

NOTICE IN THE WINDOW OF A LONDON GENT'S OUTFITTERS:

"TWO SOILED £1 NOTES

Given for 30s."

Snug, of course. I discovered you have to buy a suit or coat first. And you don't have to be a cynic to realise it may cost you 10s.

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WOMANSENSE

Birth of the Bachelette!

FASHION PAGE
by Jill Butterfield



Pictures by John Cale
Drawings by MEL

The teenager wore heavy black hobble skirts, beads and beads and beads. The Bachelette wears full-skirted gingham (black, red, green, lilac, grey, pink, and turquoise, all with white) trimmed with broderie anglaise. By Victor Josselyn.

She'll make the teenager a museum piece

SOCIAL workers surveyed them. Mums despised them. Top telly boys blamed them. Statisticians delighted in them. They were teenagers.

You know the pictures which that word conjures up—bags of eye black, hunks of hair, duffel coats, pale faces, sloppy sweaters, black stockings, and winkle-picker shoes. Unwashed and uncombed.

That was a few weeks ago.

Now the whey-faced wendle look is as out of date as the very word teenager in the smart set that started the whole thing off.

The new look

IN hopeful anticipation that it will spread as quickly and last as long I give you the new word and the new look for the new rich of this century.

The French thought up her name; they call her the Bachelette. They showed her as the kind of girl who washes her hair twice a week, changes her stockings twice a day, buys good bras, sugar petticoats, and leaves her clothes to the boys.

The English dreamed up her new clothes. Realised they had to be chic and cheap—well, cheap. They brought the cut out of the Mum class. They brought the simple, understated dress into the chain stores. They thought up at-home clothes with the comfort of jeans and twice the appeal. They produced huge-skirted evening dresses so dreamy it took a pretty dedicated beatnik to hold out against them.

Pioneering

THE new Bachelette has a lot to thank the old teenager for. She was the pioneer who kicked against the aggressively young clothes manufacturers once thought she should wear.

She was the girl who fought against frills and got good casual clothes in their place.

The new Bachelette likes many of the same things: black stockings, leather coats, long hair, eye make-up, but the difference is that she has learned how to put the whole thing together.

Proving my point in these pictures is 17-year-old Judy Hustable (already dubbed as the doo of the year, already promised a starry movie future, already the epitome of the new look) the beautiful Bachelette. (London Express Service).



The teenager wore anything comfortable, plus tights. The Bachelette wears the newest Paris-Inspired lounging outfit: white cotton top matched to slim jeans with a huge checkered ground length overskirt. By Estrava. Slippers, Man's Dressing gown, by Jaeger.



The teenager wore odd skirts with petticoats showing, unrelated jackets, thick black stockings. The Bachelette wears crisp cotton suit checked in grey and white. Digby Morton design for Reldan.

Matching trilby by Wooleand.



The teenager wore jeans and sweaters. The Bachelette wears a sleeveless dress of pure Irish linen (seven water-ice colours) with drawstring waist. By Maryon. London Express Service.

LADY LUCK
your CHINA MAIL horoscope

MONDAY, APRIL 11

AQUARIUS (January 21–February 19): A matter concerning your entire family will be easily settled if you all get together and have a sensible discussion.

PISCES (February 20–March 20): Don't let an unexpected delay in your work make you lose confidence in your ability to finish it in the required time.

ARIES (March 21–April 19): It would be better for you to consult all concerned about some plans you have in mind rather than to take a chance of meeting serious objections afterwards.

TAURUS (April 20–May 20): If you have an unexpected windfall, remember what you wanted most before you had the money to buy it.

GEMINI (May 21–June 21): It will be of no real help to anybody if you shoulder a blame for another person. He is quite capable of accounting for his actions.

CANCER (June 22–July 21): Your holiday plans will work out much more satisfactorily if you include a member of your family rather than a casual friend.

LEO (July 22–August 21): An important decision

about your home ought to be postponed until later in the month.

VIRGO (August 22–September 21): You may receive a communication which annoys you very much. Wait a day or two before replying and then use as much restraint as possible.

LIBRA (September 23–October 22): Rather than force a show-down with your partner, try to fall in with his wish even though it conflicts with your own.

SCORPIO (October 23–November 21): A younger person needs a serious warning from you about the possible consequences of his irresponsible behaviour.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22–December 21): Finding yourself in possession of some extra cash, resist the temptation to spend it recklessly.

CAPRICORN (December 22–January 20): The domestic troubles of close friend may be listened to with sympathy, but there really very little you can do about them.

YOUR BIRTHDAY: If your birthday is this week you will find a symbol of good fortune in a gift of bedroom slippers.

Got dirty again

"But," said Knarf, "they just get dirty all over again. The minute you walk down the

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Polishing Shoes

—Karf Thinks It's A Waste Of Time

By MAX TRELL

MR PUNCH had one shoe on his hand, the other shoe on his foot as Knarf, the Shadow Boy with the "Turned-About Name, came over to him.

Mr Punch smiled.

"I'm about to polish my shoes," he explained. "I don't mind a bit if you stay here and watch me. Now first I take the little brush and put polish on one of my shoes—like this."

Brushed on polish

Mr Punch, using a little paintbrush, brushed the polish on the shoe he was holding in his hand.

"Then," continued Mr Punch, "I put polish on my other shoe."

As he said this, Mr Punch took the second shoe off his foot and brushed polish on it while he held it in one of his hands.

In the meantime he had stood the first shoe on the floor.

Has to dry

"We'll just wait for it to dry before we polish it, my Boy," Mr Punch told Knarf.

"Mr Punch," said Knarf, "why?"

Mr Punch gave Knarf a puzzled look.

"Why? Why why?"

"Why do you have to polish your shoes?" asked Knarf.

"To make them look pretty," replied Mr Punch.

Got dirty again

"But," said Knarf, "they just get dirty all over again. The minute you walk down the

street they get dirty. Then you have to polish them all over again."

"I've often thought of that," said Mr Punch.

Time wasted

"It's a waste of time," said Knarf.

"That," nodded Mr Punch, "is what I used to tell myself."

"Instead of polishing shoes," said Knarf, "that just get dirty again you could be having fun."

Mr Punch nodded once more. Then he set the second shoe aside to dry and picked up the first shoe.

He began rubbing the first shoe with a large shoobrush. After a few seconds it began to shine.

"One day," said Mr Punch to Knarf, "when I was your age, I told my Mother I wasn't going to waste my time polishing my shoes any more. I told her I was going to have fun."

"Did your Mother mind when you told her that, Mr Punch?" asked Knarf.

Didn't mind

"Not at all. She just told me to run along and have fun. That's what I did. And then, at the end of the afternoon, I came back home and said:

"Mother I'm hungry!"

"But she wouldn't give me anything to eat!"

"She wouldn't give you anything to eat!" exclaimed Knarf in alarm.

"She said it was a waste of time to eat when in a little



"I'm about to polish my shoes," Mr. Punch told Knarf.

while I'd be hungry all over again."

Mr Punch went on shining his shoes, rubbing them until they sparkled like mirrors.

Knarf didn't say any more, but he began to understand why Mr Punch kept glancing over at him, and smiling . . . smiling . . . smiling . . .

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If West is at all alert he will go right up with the no. This is one spot where he can't

gain anything by ducking, but

West is only human and may go wrong.

If he does, he can't

card a heart on dummy's last

trump and run off all your

trumps. On the last trump

his ace of hearts or his diamond stopper will be

most unlikely to you lead a low

heart toward dummy.

If West is at all alert he will

go right up with the no. This

is one spot where he can't

make six instead of the normal

five.

Rupert and the Windies—51



To Rupert's great relief the little

plane is still in perfect order and

starts at once. The swarthy men

gaze in astonishment as the emer-

gent circles over their heads while

he tries to tell them what he is

doing. "I've got ideas how fat

it is to Nutwood. I hope I shan't

make it to the village as I missed Sandy

Day!" he breathes.

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Off-beat Egg-Nog

Fancy egg-nogs for the holi-
day season are easy to make
with a base of dairy-bottled
egg-nog.

A pretty pink strawberry
version combines 2 10-ounce
packages of frozen strawberries
with 2 quarts of nog. Place defrosted berries in bowl,
separate with fork and gradually
blend in the nog.

A banana-flavoured beverage
combines 4 well-ripened
medium-size bananas, mashed,
with 2 quarts of egg-nog.

For orange flavour, pour 2 6-
ounce cans of frozen orange
concentrate, defrosted, into a
bowl. Gradually add 3 quarts
of egg-nog and thin to the
desired consistency with milk,
using up to 1 quart. Garnish
the top with finely grated fresh
orange peel.

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Purr-fect Pair

Cheese and apple-cake go to-
gether like cheese and apple.

Sift 2 cups flour with 2 tea-
spoons baking powder and 1
teaspoon salt. Add 1/4 cup milk,
2 beaten eggs and 1/4 cup
melted butter and mix until just
blended. Spread over bottom of
greased 11-by-7-2-by-2-inch
baking pan.

SOUTH AFRICAN CRICKETERS TO RECEIVE MIXED RECEPTION IN ENGLAND

British sportsmen divided on boycott issue

London, Apr. 10.

Early next Sunday morning the South African cricket team arrive here by air for their summer tour of England, and English cricket fans are divided about the welcome they should give them.

To boycott their matches or not—that is the controversy.

The reason: The South African Government's policy of apartheid.

The issue was brought to a boiling point by the Reverend David Sheppard, a former England captain, who is now a clergyman in London's East End.

He would not, he said, play against the South Africans if he was picked by Sussex, his county and he had sold his tickets for the Test matches.

Other sports bodies

His statement caused a flood of comment, for and against him, and brought other sporting bodies into the controversy.

The Rev. Arnold Dacey, a member of Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club committee, said he did not think demonstrations or boycotting the South African cricketers were right.

He said he respected the views of the Rev. David Sheppard but added: "Before we interfere in the affairs of any country we should put our own house in order. There have been far too many instances in this country of coloured people being refused admission to cafes, hotels and restaurants.

"My view is that we should show the South African team every courtesy. Any other way would make matters worse."

Not a dissuasion

Many top English cricketers have been interviewed by the press. Most of them, while respecting David Sheppard's views, say politics should be kept out of sport and that it would be unfair to take it out on the South African team because of their government's policy.

The MCC wrote to the South African Cricket Association recently telling them they might meet demonstrations at many of their matches.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

11th Race Meeting

Saturday, 9th and Saturday, 16th April, 1960.

(To be held under the Rules of the Hong Kong Jockey Club)

THE PROGRAMME WILL CONSIST OF 21 RACES

(There will be 10 races on the 1st Day and 11 races on the 2nd Day)

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. on the 1st Day. On the 2nd Day the First Bell will be rung at 11.30 a.m. and the Tiffin interval will be after the Fourth Race (1.30 p.m.).

The Secretary's Office at Alexandra House will close at 11.45 a.m. on the 1st Day and at 10.00 a.m. on the 2nd Day.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

No person without an Admission Badge will be admitted. Admission Badges must be prominently displayed throughout the meeting.

Admission Badges at \$10.00 each per day are obtainable only on the written introduction of a Member. Admission Badges may be obtained during office hours from the Cash Sweep Office of the Club at Queen's Building, Chater Road; 3 D'Aguilar Street; King's Road, North Point and 382 Nathan Road. **ADMISSION BADGES WILL NOT BE ON SALE AT THE SECRETARY'S OFFICES**

ADMISSION BADGES WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AT THE RACE COURSE ON RACE DAYS.

Tickets will be obtainable at the Club House if ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box (Tel. 72811).

NO CHILDREN under the age of seventeen years (Western Standard) will be admitted to the Club's premises during the Meeting.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission will be \$3.00 each per day payable at the Gate.

Any person leaving the Enclosure will be required to pay the requisite fee of \$3.00 in order to gain re-admission.

MEALS AND REFRESHMENTS will be available in the RESTAURANT.

CASH SWEEPS

Through Cash Sweep Tickets at \$20.00 each for the 1st Day, \$2.00 each for the 2nd Day and \$42.00 each for both days may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices at Queen's Building, Chater Road; 3 D'Aguilar Street and 382 Nathan Road, Kowloon, during office hours.

Tickets reserved and available but not paid for by 10.00 a.m. on Friday, 8th April, 1960, will be sold and the reservation cancelled for future Meetings.

Special Cash Sweep Tickets on the Hong Kong Derby scheduled to be run on 30th April, 1960, at \$2.00 each may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices of the Club.

The office hours of the Cash Sweep Offices of the Club are as follows:—

Queen's Building, Chater Road and 5 D'Aguilar Street, Hong Kong:—
Mondays to Fridays 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday, 9th April 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.
Saturday, 10th April 9 a.m. to 10 a.m.

King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong and 382 Nathan Road, Kowloon:—
Mondays to Fridays 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday, 9th April 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.
Saturday, 10th April CLOSED.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. E. ARNOLD,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 2nd April, 1960.

ARMY-CIVILIAN ATHLETIC MEETING



The finish of the 100 yards event in the athletics match between the Civilians and Army at the Boundary Street last Saturday. The event was won by Civilians' R. Poon (second from left) in the time of 10.4 seconds.

The Civilians won the match by 199½ points to 155½.—China Mail photo.

Berczik, Miss Koczian retain European table tennis titles

Zagreb, Apr. 10.

Zoltan Berczik and Eva Koczian, the brilliant Hungarian table tennis stars, both retained their singles titles on the final day of the European Championships here today.

Neither champion was extended, winning comfortably in straight games, to keep the championships they gained in 1958 at Budapest.

Berczik beat Radu Negulescu of Romania, 21-16, 21-11, 21-12 and Miss Koczian defeated her compatriot, Imre Rerekes, 21-12, 21-14, 21-8.

They were Papwa Sewsungul of Natal and E. W. Johnson-Sedlacek, who could not become members of the South African PGA for racial reasons.

The Lawn Tennis Association, through its secretary, Mr. Basil Reay, said it had never distinguished between colour, race, creed or religion.

Mr. Reay said several white South Africans had already entered for the British Hard Court Championships later this month.

There is a distinct possibility of a coloured player asking to play. They will all be welcome," he said.—Reuter.

No colour bar

Mr. Jack Crump, the Board's secretary, said there has not been any colour bar in tennis in Great Britain and our particular sport is one in which colour bar has not been a matter of any great controversy."

South African athletes coming to this country never raised any objections to running with British Empire and Commonwealth teams or against American teams in which coloured athletes took part, he added.

Commander Charles Roe, secretary of the British Professional Golfers' Association, said two coloured professionals from South Africa had been invited to play in British tournaments this season.

"We will carry on with the fixtures as arranged."

A similar reply came from Mr. Bill Clements, secretary of the Welsh Rugby Union.

Because of the cricket controversy a boxing match arranged between South Africa's reigning white and coloured featherweight champions has been cancelled in view of the situation in South Africa."

The promoter, Mr. Lew Phillips, said: "As a Jew myself I can't uphold or back up any racial feelings and enmity, the results of which have seen us and know only too well."

The fight was to have taken place between the white title-

HAUTAIN WINS AT LONGCHAMP

Paris, Apr. 10.

Hautain, owned by the J. Stern stables, today won the 30,000 francs Prix Greifswalde run over 2,100 metres at Longchamp.

Hautain (Sky High and Haur by Rhalio), ridden by L. Flavien, was a half length ahead of second place Wordpam. Atrax, a length and a half back, was third. Hautain's time was 2 minutes 16.23 seconds. There were 15 starters.

The race was for 3-year-old colts from French-bred mares.—AP.

Elliott wants to run in 1964

games too

Brisbane, Apr. 10.

Herb Elliott, Australia's world champion miller, said here to-night he hoped to be still running in 1964 when the Olympic Games are held in Tokyo.

Elliott, in a television interview, said he would keep running until his form began "going down."

Elliott, whose world mile record is three minutes 54.8 seconds, said he did not think any athlete would break three minutes 50 seconds for the distance.

"I cannot see what improvement can be made in training," he said.—Reuter.

Archery with Scots accent

A 33-year-old Scotswoman, Miss Jean Henderson, has put to shame the bowmen of Nottingham, her adopted city.

Miss Henderson moved from Humble 10 years ago as a teacher, and now in the legendary home of Robin Hood and his merry men she has become the first "Master Bowman" in the Midland city's archery history.

A "Master Bowman" is the highest award an archer can win, and Nottingham has never before possessed one—or at least not since Robin Hood—Banwos Service.

Jack Brabham wins Brussels Grand Prix

Brussels, Apr. 10.

Australia's world driving champion Jack Brabham today won the Formula II Brussels motor racing Grand Prix, having driven his Cooper into second and first places in the two legs of the event. The race does not count for the World Drivers Championship.

Second was Britain's Stirling Moss, driving a Porsche, who came first and third in the legs.

Third was Frenchman Maurice Trintignant, at the wheel of a Cooper, third and second in the legs.

The second leg was marred by rain which slowed down speeds considerably on this already slow track, lap averages dropping from around 180 to 111 kilometres per hour.

Muffed his start

Slow as it was, this second leg was not without excitement. Stirling Moss, winner of the first leg, and favourite for the overall win, started off by mulling his start and was left on the grid. It only took him a few laps to catch up with the leaders, and, for 20 laps he played a waiting game behind Brabham, Belgium's Gendebien and Trintignant.

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British cyclist's narrow defeat

Roubaix, Apr. 10.

Britain's Tom Simpson led most of the way over the 265-kilometre (165 miles) Paris to Roubaix cycling race was piped at the post here today by Spanish, French, and Belgian riders who surged through in a last-minute rush.

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Results were:

1. Cerami (Belgium) 6 hours 1 min 45 secs,

2. Sabbadini (France) 6:01:59,

3. Poblet (Spain) 6:01:50,

4. Forestier (France) same time,

5. De Wolf (Belgium) same time,

6. Aerenout (Belgium) same time,

7. Gilbert Desmet (Belgium) same time,

8. Anquetil (France) same time,

9. Simpson (Britain) 6:02:56.—AP.

Barcelona almost sure of winning Spanish League

Madrid, Apr. 10.

Barcelona all but won the Spanish Premier League Soccer Championship today by defeating Espanol 1-0.

Barcelona and Real Madrid, which also beat Real Sociedad 4-0 today, have the same number of points but the former is leading in the standings for better goal average.

The seven-month tournament ends next Sunday and it will be difficult for Barcelona to lose its last game in its own field against a weak team like Zaragoza.

Barcelona leads the standings with 44 points in 20 games, followed by Real Madrid also with 2,500 metres, was won for the fifth time by Nina Ovtakentko, Russian holder of the women's world 800 yards record. Her time was 8 minutes, 26 seconds.—Reuter.

International cross-country race

Paris, Apr. 10.

Peter Boletnikov of the Soviet Union, won the annual International 10 Kilometres Cross-country Race at Vincennes Woods here today.

He clocked 20 minutes, 54.8 seconds.

The women's event, over 2,500 metres, was won for the fifth time by Nina Ovtakentko, Russian holder of the women's world 800 yards record. Her time was 8 minutes, 26 seconds.—Reuter.

An Olympic champion gets her wish

San Francisco, Apr. 10.

The wish of Heidi Beibl, Olympic downhill skier, champion, told her California host is coming true.

Miss Olympia of California, a Guernsey calf, which Heidi said she would like to take to her Bavarian Alps home at Oberstauffer, Germany, is on its way by Pan American jet airliner to Europe.

Miss Olympia was born on

bloodied now weighing 180 pounds, departed this morning from San Francisco and will arrive in London on Monday.

From there the calf will be flown to Munich.

Mrs. Marlin Blechner-Smith of Sacramento, who got to know Heidi while working as a German language interpreter at the Olympics, is flying to Germany with Miss Olympia.—AP.

The decline of Austrian football is shown by statistics.

In 1955 Austrian clubs played 265 International friendly matches. In 1956, 167 and last year only 119. Of these only 32 were won and 65 lost, while the goal aggregate was 204 for 301 against.

Lucien Ollieslager, of Liege FC, has been voted Belgian Footballer of the Year—yet he has never played for his country.

During the first half of the West German Championships 142 penalties were awarded in four Leagues. Only 92 were converted.

Another softball upset

INDIANS BEAT CARDS TO QUALIFY FOR JUNIOR KNOCKOUT FINAL

By OLLY VAS

There was another surprise result in the Junior Knockout games when in a tense semi-final on Saturday the Indians accounted for the Cardinals by 11-4. Despite the score the outcome of the game was very much in doubt till the seventh and last inning.

The Indians will now meet the Giants in the Knockout Final next week for the latter easily beat a game but inexperienced Auster team by the score of 15-4 in the other semi-final match played off yesterday.

Batting first, the Indians' lead-off man Johnny Chaves tallied his side's opening run in a matter of minutes. He got on base and Cards catcher Carlinho Viera then tossed the ball to second as Chaves made the steal. It ended up in centre-field where Henry Viana chased after it. Henry got to it but the ball somehow bounced off one leg and thus Chaves scored a vital run.

Next batter up Robert Olave bunted the ball and got to first when the pick-up was fumbled. The resultant overthrow by infielder Lester Wu gave Olave a free pass all the way to third. Then Francis Souza hit a hard run and the Indians were ahead 3-0 without even a batter being retired.

The Cards were rattled even at this early stage of the

game and, after getting the opposition out, set about to come. But more was yet to catch up to no avail. In the second and third innings both sides played tight softball and the scoreboard still showed the Indians ahead by those three runs.

Then in the fourth inning Chaves again scored to make it 4-0 but the Cards replied with a solitary run to lower the margin to 1-4.

Fought back

The game was by no means over at this stage and when the fifth inning went by without any change to the score, the Indians looked like they were on the way to victory but in the bottom of the sixth inning the Cards were back in the game with a pair of runs and the scoreboard now read Indians 4, Cardinals 3.

The last inning saw the issue being decided, in favour of the Indians.

With two runners on base George Souza Jr was given a walk on four balls—deliberately, it would appear from the way Cards pitcher Lill Dayairra chucked that ball away from the plate. It was good strategy for Souza had always been considered a danger with the bat. None away and the bases loaded now.

Then came the turning point of the game.

Lester Wu elected to play the runner at home plate after the next man up had hit the ball to the Cardinal infield. In the excitement he threw wildly to catcher Viera and a run was

scored. But more was yet to come.

Alvaro Souza at right-field then jugged an easy fly ball and finally failed in his attempt to snare it with one bare hand and two more runs were registered.

This was not quite all for the moment.

The next batter up David Viera then lashed out at the ball. It headed straight towards left-fielder Luis Silva who tried a shoestring catch. He misjudged it and the ball went by for a home run.

Seven errors

The Cards had made seven fielding errors before the conclusion had died down and they paid the price for it in the form of seven runs to bring the Indian total to 11 but still they did not toss in the towel.

In their last attempt to catch up in the bottom of this seventh inning Lionel Gutierrez walked.

Lester Wu laid down a sacrifice bunt which advanced Gutierrez to second. He then stole third base and came home on Henry Viana's slinging double to centre which bounced past out-fielder Memo Baptista and hit the fence. Viana going all the way to third. Carlinho Viera foul-tipped for the second out then Eddie Rosario grounded out to end the game. Apart from that disastrous seventh inning it was a fine game played off in the best of spirits by both teams who are to be congratulated for providing grand softball entertainment.

Sports Diary

TO-DAY SOCCER

1st Division: CMB v Eastern (BS)

5.30 p.m. Meeting

Anasal meeting of HK Underwater Club, British Council, Gloucester Edge.

TO-MORROW

Athletics

Land Forces Major & Minor Units

Team, Championships, Boundary Street.

Soccer

1st Division: Tung Wah v Happy Valley (BS)

2nd Division: R.A.F. Knt Tak v AP's (CMB): Caroline Hill v R.I.

(Club), Room Wm v Prisons (Navy)

all matches at 8 p.m.

Four D. Jones

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Nominate YOUR HONGKONG FOOTBALLER OF THE YEAR

Members of the public are invited to nominate Hongkong's Footballer of the Year for the current season.

It is a popularity poll organised by the China Mail, and nomination coupons will be accepted until the closing date to be announced later.

The two qualifications for nomination are:

(1) Footballing prowess.

(2) Sportsmanship on the field of play.

Nominations should be addressed to the Editor, China Mail, Wyndham Street.

To the Editor, China Mail,

My nomination for Hongkong's Footballer of the Year, taking into account his playing ability and his sportsmanship on the field of play, is:

..... Club.

(Signed)

(NOTE: No person is allowed to vote more than once in this poll)

Arnold Palmer wins Masters Golf after thrilling 3-way finish

Augusta, Apr. 10. Arnold Palmer, a faltering and apparently beaten favourite, birdied the last two holes in a blazing finish today and won the Masters Golf Championship by a stroke from Ken Venturi. Palmer came in with a final round of 70 and a 72-hole total of 232 to Venturi's 233.

For the crowd of almost 40,000 that streamed across the big Augusta National Course today this finish was fully as exciting as last year's, when Art Wall birdied five of the last six holes to win by a stroke from Cary Middlecoff.

This time it was a three-way race right to the last shot with Venturi and Finsterwald waging a head-to-head duel for the lead and Palmer, starting raggedly, striving to overtake them.

Second victory

It was the second victory for Palmer in this golf classic, played annually before huge galleries on the beautiful 18-hole course.

Two years ago he shot 69-68-72 to win the National.

Palmer had rounds of 67-73-

72-70 for the tournament. He took the lead on the first day and held it until the third hole today. There, apparently shaken

by television in the clubhouse. He didn't say a word when Palmer's winning shot went into the hole. He just shook his head and stared through misty eyes.

Venturi, who says this is the first Masters in which he hasn't been haunted by the memory of his 80 in the final round four years ago, made a tremendous charge to the front on the first nine. He shot it in 33, three under par, and seemed to have shaken off everyone but Finsterwald.

Penalised

They duelled through the back nine until Finsterwald hit a trap on the last hole and took a bogey that put him out of it.

Finsterwald, usually a cautious player who won't risk a second-place in an effort to win, could have been the victor this time. A two-stroke penalty incurred on the first round for an unintentional rules violation was exactly the margin by which he lost.

He was penalised for taking a practice putt after holing out on the fifth green. He didn't know then it was against a local rule and didn't report it until the next day. Then the tournament committee decided to penalise him only two strokes instead of disqualifying him for returning an incorrect score.

Palmer is the leading money-winner on the pro golf circuit this year and today's victory—his fifth of the year—probably was worth about \$15,000.

The exact amount of the prize money wasn't immediately announced. The Masters usually increases its minimum purse, listed at \$20,000 according to the size of the crowds—and they were huge.—AP.

Successful title defence

Tottenham, meanwhile, has to fit in three games between Friday and Monday. Two of them are against London rivals Chelsea, an unpredictable side that shocked Arsenal 4-1 last Saturday. The other is a home match against Manchester City.

The real decider may come later this month. Tottenham has to visit Wolverhampton. There will be a sell-out crowd for that game if the two teams are still fighting it out.

Tottenham also has to play Blackpool at home. Tottenham's remaining fixture is away to Chelsea.

Wolverhampton has a double incentive to win the race. It faces Blackburn Rovers in the Cup Final on May 7 and has a chance to land the biggest prize in English Soccer—the Cup and League double. No team has achieved that since Aston Villa in 1897.—AP.

CHESSE

by LEONARD BARDEN



Here is a position from actual play: White to move and win. Solution No. 5702: 1. B-B4 (third 2-B-B3), 2. B-B4, 3. Q-K7, or 4. R-B4; 2 R-R4, 3. Q-K7.

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Boxer sustains serious injury during fight

Madison, Apr. 10. A 22-year-old University of Wisconsin student rated as one of America's top College boxers was in critical condition early today after two hours of surgery for a brain hemorrhage suffered in the finale of a National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament bout.

Charles Mohr, a senior from Merrick, New York, was reported "holding his own" at the University Hospitals.

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THE CASE OF THE IVORY DOG

Made in China, says U.S. —no, replies Hongkong

Investigations by the Department of Commerce and Industry into exports of locally-made ivoryware to America "had revealed nothing wrong," the China Mail learned on good authority this morning.

The Hongkong Government had reported this to the U.S. Treasury representative in Hongkong, Mr C. H. de Zevallos.

Government investigations are still going on, however, to find out whether ivoryware from China had actually found its way into the U.S. market together with Hongkong products.

The U.S. had placed a temporary ban on Hongkong ivoryware recently and had returned a sample of a five-inch ivory temple dog, alleging that "it is 60 years old and is not a Hongkong product."

Now, under the supervision of D.C. and I., a Hongkong artisan is copying the temple dog to prove that "we really can make it."

We believe

The D. C. and I. received information from the U.S. Government on March 29 and on the next day the D. C. and I. suspended issuance of the certificate of origin, according to the informant.

When contacted by the China Mail this morning, Mr de Zevallos said, "We firmly be-

**THANKS FOR JAIL,
PRISONER
SAYS TO JUDGE**

A prisoner today thanked a judge for sending him to jail.

He said now he would have a chance to reform.

The prisoner, Ma Ming, 35, unemployed, was sentenced to three years' jail by Judge A. A. Huggins at Kowloon District Court for snatching and six charges of larceny.

He pleaded guilty.

Chief Inspector T. W. Wheeler said on March 24 a woman, Yu Yuk Po, was walking along Parke's Street at about 4 p.m. when defendant

approached and snatched her purse, containing \$12.

The man was later arrested.

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